



# U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

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**CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

**SEP 19 2016**

Robert Denise  
Lawrence General Hospital  
1 General Street  
Lawrence, MA 01841

Re: Schedule Extension  
Request for Information Pursuant to Section 308 of the Clean Water Act  
EPA Docket No. CWA-308-R01-FY16-73

Dear Mr. Denise:

On July 25, 2016, the Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") sent the above-referenced Request for Information ("Request") to Lawrence General Hospital (the "Hospital"). The Request asked for information to be submitted to EPA within 60 calendar days of receipt. The Request was received on July 28, 2016; the Hospital's response would therefore be due on September 26, 2016.

On August 31, 2016, the Hospital provided a response to the Request requiring the information specified by items 1, 2, and 5 of the Request and describing the on-going investigations that are being conducted to provide responses to items 3 and 4.

By this letter, EPA extends the schedule for provision of items 3 and 4 in the Request by 30 days. Please submit these materials by October 26, 2016.

If you have questions regarding this Request, please contact John Melcher, Enforcement Officer of my staff at (617) 918-1663 or have your attorney contact Jeffrey Kopf, Senior Enforcement Counsel at (617) 918-1796.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "James Chow".

James Chow, Manager  
Technical Enforcement Office  
Office of Environmental Stewardship

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